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Ms. Kate McManus, Assistant Refuge Manager
Prime Hook National Wildlife Refuge
R.D. #3, Box 195
Milton, DE 19968

Dear Ms. McManus:

On June 23, 2003, I conducted an aerial survey for gypsy moth-caused tree defoliation at Prime Hook National Wildlife Refuge. I am pleased to report that no defoliation was detected at, or in the vicinity of, your site.

However, if you anticipate requesting either financial or technical assistance for gypsy moth control in 2004, please contact Brad Onken (304) 285-1546 or me (304) 285-1555 before August 22, 2003.

Please contact me at the above number if you have any questions regarding this aerial survey letter.

Sincerely,

Rodney L. Whiteman

RODNEY L. WHITEMAN
Forester
Forest Health Protection

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